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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The Assignee hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that as of November 16, 2010, it is no longer entitled to status as a small entity. Accordingly, Applicant would like to pay all fees in connection with the prosecution and maintenance of the present patent as a large entity.

Applicant believes no further fees or petitions are required. However, if any such petitions or fees are necessary, please consider this a request therefor and authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 04-1420 accordingly. If the Commissioner should require any additional information, please contact the undersigned attorney.

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